

# Firmware update guide

Thank you for using MonsterAdapter product. We will keep improve our products through firmware updates to enhance your experience.

**Please note that firmware is not allowed to downgrade.** Once you have upgraded to a higher version of the firmware, you cannot revert to a lower version.

You need to prepare the following equipment to update the firmware.

- A computer running Windows operations. The Windows version is at least Windows 7, and other supported versions include Windows 8, 8.1, Windows 10, etc. Earlier versions may not support firmware update operations.
- A USB data cable to connect your computer and camera. It is recommended that you use the data cable that comes with the Sony camera.
- The latest firmware upgrade package. The latest firmware update program can be obtained from the official Weibo/Facebook of MonsterAdapter.

- An E-mount camera. (Please note that E-mount cameras and NEX-5, NEX-3, and NEX-C3 cameras cannot be used to update the firmware)
- Please make sure that the battery level of the camera is above 70%, and the battery level below this level cannot be upgraded.

Please follow the steps below to set it up:

- Mount the adapter to the E-mount camera;
- Mount any lens on the mount on the adapter;
- Plug one side of the USB cable into the computer;
- Plug another side of the USB cable into the camera;
- Remove the memory card from the camera.

## Start to upgrade

**1. Turn on the power of the camera and make sure that "USB Mode: Mass Storage" is displayed on the camera screen.**

If it does not enter this mode, please unplug the USB cable from the camera, enter [Settings]-[USB Connection] in the camera menu, and select [Mass Storage];

**2. Run the firmware update program on the computer**

Click "Next", the program will go through a few seconds of connection detection:

### **3. Confirm the version through the update program**

The lower left corner of the update program will display the current firmware version of the adapter and the version number to which it will be upgraded.

Confirm the current and upcoming firmware version

At this time, the camera screen will prompt: Please follow the computer instructions.

### **4. Perform firmware update**

Note: It is strictly forbidden to operate the camera and the adapter during the upgrade process, even including removing the battery, shutting down, etc., otherwise irreparable damage will be caused to the camera or the adapter. MonsterAdapter is not responsible for the consequences of this behavior.

Click "Next" to update the firmware of the adapter.

The firmware update process is very fast, and it can be completed in about 3 seconds .

The computer will have a progress indicator bar and there will also be a progress bar on the camera side.

## **5. Complete the update, reset the adapter**

After the update is completed, the firmware update program will have the following prompt.

The update is successful, you can click the "Finish" button to exit. The update is successful, you can click the "Finish" button to exit.

There will also be corresponding prompts on the camera screen at this time.

Please unplug the USB cable from the camera and turn off the camera.

Remove the battery inside the camera and reset the adapter. Then replace the battery, power on and confirm the version number of the adapter to verify that the upgrade is successful. The method is: [Menu]-[Settings]-[Version]

**At this point, the adapter firmware upgrade is complete.**